FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Nash Winfred D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Babcock & Wilcox Co [BWC]												olicable) ctor	g Person(s) to Issu 10% Owr Other (sp		wner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 13024 BALLANTYNE CORPORATE PLACE SUITE 700				E	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/09/2010										X	Officer (give title Other (specify below) President - NOG						
(Street)	t) RLOTTE NC 28277					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 08/11/2010											6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S		Zip)																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ar)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transa Code (ction	4. Securit	Acquire	d (A)	or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)		се	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock				08/09/2010)			A ⁽¹⁾	V	958		A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	10),919(2)	D				
Common Stock			08/09/2010)			M		6,835	5	A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	17,754 ⁽²⁾		D					
Common Stock				08/09/2010)			F		2,884		D	\$	23.76	14,870(2)		D				
Common S	Stock	ock			08/09/2010				M		3,243	3	A	\$0		18,113(2)		D				
Common S	Stock			08/09	/2010)				F		1,368		D	\$	23.76	16,745 ⁽²⁾		D			
Common Stock																393 ⁽³⁾		I		401k Plan		
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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code (8)		on C r. E (5. Nur of Deriva Secur Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D) Instr. and 5)	ative ities red sed	6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date	•	An Se Un De Se	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr and 4)		Deri Sec (Ins	rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Ind (I) (Ins	(D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Grant of restricted stock received in connection with the pro-rata distribution of BWC common stock from McDermott International, Inc. ("MII") (the "Spin-off") and converted from MII restricted stock held by the Reporting Person as of the Spin-off.
- 2. This amendment is filed to correct the number of shares reported on the Reporting Person's Form 4 filed August 11, 2010. Includes shares of BWC common stock acquired in the spin-off.
- 3. Based on number of units held in the BWC Thrift Plan and the fair market value of BWC common stock as of August 9, 2010.

Remarks:

Angela P. Winter, attorney-in-

08/31/2010

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** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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